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| In re U.S. PATENT 7,181,023 to:<br>Andrews et al. | Confirmation Number: 2124 |
| Application No.: 09/485,657                       | Group Art Unit: 2615      |
| Issued: February 20, 2997                         | Examiner: Xu Mei          |
| Title: A Distributed Stereo System                |                           |

Supplemental Request for Certificate of Correction  
Under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.322 (PTO Error) and 1.323 (Applicant Mistake)

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA

Sir:

This Supplemental Request for a Certificate of Correction supplements the Request for Certificate of Correction filed earlier today. The Request filed earlier today neglected to add a reference in the specification to the underlying PCT application (in addition to the reference to the underlying Australian priority application that was added by today's earlier request), and this Supplemental Request corrects that oversight.

The requested Certificate of Correction (Form SB44) that is being submitted herewith, which includes a reference to the PCT application, replaces or supersedes the Certificate of Correction (Form SB44) that was filed earlier today without reference to the PCT application.

The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(a) is being paid once more.

Respectfully submitted,

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It is certified that an error appears or errors appear in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

- 1) On the face/cover sheet, under section (30) (Foreign Application Priority Data):

The priority application date for the underlying Australian priority application is changed  
FROM August 15, 1998 TO August 15, 1997

- 2) At column 1, before the Technical Field, a cross-reference to related applications is inserted as follows:

### -- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is based on and claims the priority benefit of Australian Patent Application PO 8621, filed August 15, 1997, and PCT Application PCT/AU98/00647, filed August 14, 1998. --

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